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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 97-573-A)

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

William Kurt Dobson

Serial No.	09/885,220	)	Examiner:	To be advised
Filed:	June 20, 2001	)	Group Art Unit:	2634
Title	Multi-Carrier LAN Adapter Device Using Interpolative Equalizer	)	Confirmation No.:	3202

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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In regard to the above identified application:

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- a. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
- b. Declaration Copy from Prior Application;
- c. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts; and
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- (a) Declaration copy from prior application;
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- (c) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted.

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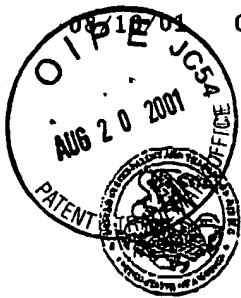
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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(c) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.

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